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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

In the above-referenced case, the Examiner sets forth a Statement of Reasons for Allowance. The reasons set forth by the Examiner refer to only the arguments made by Applicants in the Response to Office Action filed November 7, 2005. However, those reasons were specific to the outstanding Office Action at the time and do not address all of the various other features of the allowed claims or reasons they are allowable over the cited art. That is, each of the independent claims recites additional patentable features, or combinations of features, not specifically mentioned or argued in the Response. Furthermore, those reasons also do not address all of the allowed claims. Therefore, all of the claims are allowable for other reasons in addition to those specifically set forth in the Statement of Reasons for Allowance and the referenced Response to Office Action.

Furthermore, each of the dependent claims includes additional patentable features, or combinations of features, not mentioned by the Examiner, which define over the prior art. Accordingly, each of those dependent claims is believed to be allowable based upon its base independent claim and also upon those other features recited in those various dependent claims that are not discussed or noted by the Examiner in the Reasons for Allowance. Therefore, the claims are allowable for reasons beyond those stated by the Examiner.

Applicants know of no fees due herein with this submission. However, if any charges or credits are necessary, please apply them to Deposit Account 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

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